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Responsive to the Decision on Appeal from the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences mailed March 29, 2005, Applicant submits herewith an additional Reply to the Examiner's final decision of the examiner dated March 17, 2003. Filed contemporaneously herewith is a Request for Continued Examination. A check in the amount of \$395 is enclosed for the associated fees.

If any other fees for the accompanying reply are required, Applicant requests that this be considered a Petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account 09-0528.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.